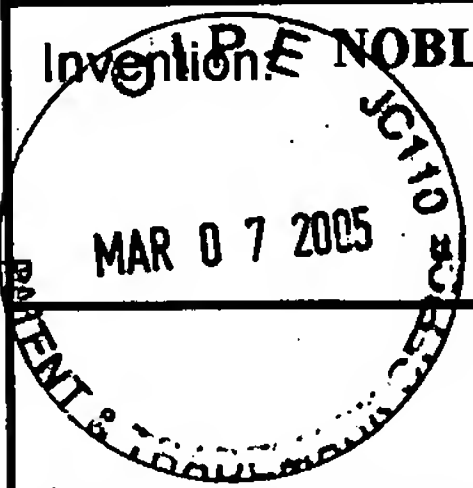
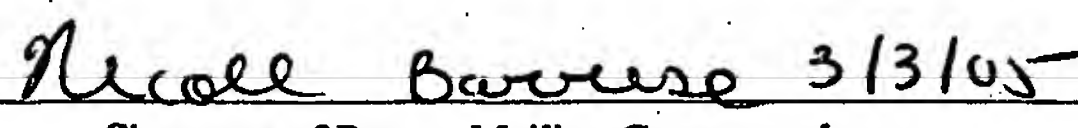
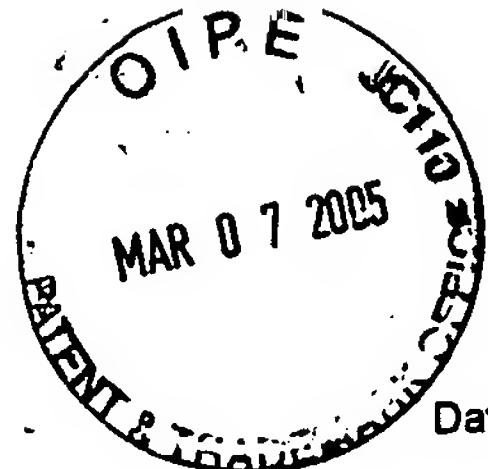


<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>					<b>Docket No.</b> <b>FIS920030061US1</b>	
<b>Applicant(s): Hariklia Deligianni, et al.</b>						
<b>Application No.</b> 10/604,278	<b>Filing Date</b> 7/8/03	<b>Examiner</b> Rojas Bernard	<b>Customer No.</b> 32074	<b>Group Art Unit</b> 2832	<b>Confirmation No.</b> 1277	
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### AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 3, 2005, the following Amendment is being submitted to place the above-identified application in prima facie condition for allowance.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: